MINUTES BLOOMINGTON MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL (MAC)

Tuesday, November 5, 2013 at 7:00 pm

- 1. CALL TO ORDER Meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm.
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. ROLL CALL OF MAC MEMBERS:

Jackie Cox - Absent

Betty Gosney - Present

Israel Fuentes - Present

Gregory Ware - Absent

Eric Scott, Alternate - Present

4. DIGNITARIES ATTENDANCE:

Assembly Member Cheryl Brown introduced herself and her District Director, Daniel Enz. She shared her role as an Assembly Member for the 47th District.

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Minutes of the October 1, 2013 meeting were approved.

6. GOVERNMENT STAFF REPORTS:

<u>CHP</u> – Officer Riley stated that all was quiet in Bloomington. He understands that many residents are aggravated with the construction and cones on Valley Blvd., but it's for the better. He also discussed the curb beautification project at Mary B. Lewis elementary school.

<u>Sheriff's Department</u> –Sgt. Silva provided an update on the unpermitted vehicle sales on Valley Blvd. and reported on the number of service calls for the area.

<u>Special Districts</u> – Tim Millington provided an update on Kessler Park and the improvements to the equestrian arena. He also mentioned that the Fire Station on Jurupa was receiving a contract to provide services.

<u>Supervisor Gonzales' Office</u> – Laura talked about the upcoming Veterans Art Show in San Bernardino on Wednesday, November 6, 2013 from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm.

7. DISCUSSION ITEMS: Community Service Organizations-

Bloomington Boosters - Dave and Corine Soto- Dave talked about the upcoming Christmas parade. Corrine asked for more volunteer participation and discussed the need for bringing more awareness to Bloomington.

Bloomington Women's and Social Club - Lynda Gonzales spoke about the Bloomington Women's Club and the reason for changing the name to Bloomington Women's and Social Club and gave a brief history of the club.

San Bernardino Valley Riders - Dave Jayne talked about the Valley Riders, their meeting dates, and what they do for the area. He also spoke about how they would be moving the arena and adding a bathroom.

Bloomington Little League - Mark Raubolt talked about the little league and how their goal is to not turn anyone away and to accomplish this they need sponsors.

8. SPECIAL PRESENTATION:

9. COMMUNITY EVENTS:

10. PUBLIC COMMENT:

Daisy Chisholm (resident) – Requested an update on what is going on at the sober living facility on Linden Ave.

Lynda Gonzalez (resident/business owner) – Shared her service on the SANBAG Advisory Board and her involvement with the Bloomington Social Club. She also talked about having a business in the community. She also pledged to donate to the Bloomington Little League.

Donna Peters (resident) – spoke about the need for signs on Hall Ave.

Roxanne Bazo (**resident**) – spoke about her concerns with the homeless population in Bloomington. She states that they have taken up residence in the waterway between Sierra & Cedar.

11. MAC MEMBER COMMENT:

Laura Orozco – asked everyone to go on to the Bloomington MAC Facebook page and to come up with suggested items for next year's calendar.

Israel Fuentes – spoke about the volunteer opportunities with the Sheriff's Department and to contact himself, Sgt. Silva or David Jayne if interested.

Betty Gosney – Talked about Burtec and would like to propose a "free dumping day" where residents can dispose of large items.

Eric Scott – Thanked the SBVR's and everyone who was able to attend the event on the 26th.

12. ADJOURN MEETING:

Betty Gosney adjourned the meeting at 8:25 PM.

NEXT MEETING January 7, 2014 at 7:00 pm